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In the Claims:

- 1.(currently amended) A process for delivering a fabric treatment agent to a fabric comprising the steps of:
- (a) releasably attaching a rigid support to a part of a flexible substrate onto which is releasably fixed a fabric treatment agent;
 - (b) ~~(a)~~ placing the rigid support/flexible substrate inside a fabric treatment machine;
 - (c) ~~(b)~~ a fabric inside a fabric treatment machine; and
 - (d) ~~(c)~~ operating the fabric treatment machine;
- characterised in that;
- the rigid support is a frame and is smaller than at least the width or length or depth of the flexible substrate.
- 2.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the fabric treatment machine is a tumble dryer or a washing machine.
- 3.(currently amended) A process according to claim 1 wherein the fabric treatment machine is operated so that the temperature of the water in the fabric treatment washing machine is greater than or equal to 40°C.
- 4.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the rigid frame support is smaller than both the width and the length of the flexible substrate.
- 5.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the frame is an endless frame.
- 6.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the flexible substrate comprises a fibrous material.

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- 7.(previously presented) A process accordingly to claim 1 wherein the flexible substrate is in the form of a sheet.
- 8.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the fabric treatment agent comprises a fabric softening agent or a fabric cleaning agent.
- 9.(previously presented) A process according to claim 1 wherein the fabric treatment agent is releasable from the flexible substrate by heating the substrate or by agitating the substrate.
- 10.(currently amended) A device comprising:
a flexible substrate containing a releasably fixed fabric treatment agent,
and,
~~and releasably attached to the flexible substrate~~ a rigid support releasably affixed to the flexible substrate.
- 11.(previously presented) A kit for delivering a fabric treatment agent to a fabric comprising a device according to claim 1.
- 12.(canceled)
13. (previously presented) A kit for delivering a fabric treatment agent to a fabric comprising a device according to claim 10.
14. (canceled)
- 15.(new) The process according to claim 1, wherein the flexible substrate is in a substantially flat orientation.

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16.(new) The process according to claim 10, wherein the flexible substrate is in a substantially flat orientation.